SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 553 By Black

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate the past and present owners and operators of Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company for fifty years of devoted service to the people of Gallatin, Tennessee.

WHEREAS, it is an honor for this General Assembly to recognize those estimable businesses in Tennessee that have maintained the highest ideals of product quality and customer service throughout their existence; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable establishment is Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company, which recently celebrated its fiftieth anniversary as a family owned and operated business serving the good people of Gallatin, Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, in 1955, Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company first opened its doors with an unwavering commitment to what has become an extremely loyal customer base; and

WHEREAS, after working for a car dealership in Lexington, Kentucky, for ten years, Vic Jenkins moved his wife and two young sons to Tennessee in order to start his own business; and

WHEREAS, originally located on Main Street, Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company has been housed in three different locations; the second location was on West Main Street, and in 1966, Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company moved to its current location at 400 East Broadway Street; and WHEREAS, truly a family business, three generations of Jenkins family members have

worked at this estimable car dealership; and

WHEREAS, Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company has benefited greatly from the expertise and leadership of its owners, Scott Jenkins (the son of Vic Jenkins) and his wife, Sharon; and WHEREAS, under their astute guidance, Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company has adroitly

combined outstanding value with superb customer service; and

WHEREAS, Scott Jenkins attributes the company's success to customer service; Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company, "is still a people business. It is all about how you treat customers."; and

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly find it appropriate to honor and recognize the Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company and its illustrious owners, Scott and Sharon Jenkins, for fifty years of superb service to the residents of Gallatin, Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate the past and present owners and operators of Vic Jenkins Chevrolet Company for fifty years of devoted service to the good people of the State of Tennessee and offer our fondest wishes for their every success in all future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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